GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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NATIONAL COASTAL PROTECTION PROGRAMME
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Coastal Protection Programme (NCPP) has since been finalized;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Union Government has received any project proposal from the Government of Karnataka for inclusion under NCPP;

(e) if so, the details thereof;

(f) whether any commission has been constituted in this regard; and

(g) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRYOF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) No Sir, the National Coastal Protection Project (NCPP) has not been finalized.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The NCPP has been planned for seeking external funding, an approach paper on coastal protection prepared by Ministry of Water Resources has been forwarded to Asian Development Bank (ADB) by Department of Economic Affairs (DEA). ADB has approved administering technical assistance to the Government of India for technical study on `Integrated Coastal Management and Related Investment Development`. The ADB Inception Mission visited the states involved in the technical assistance and held discussions with them.

(d) & (e) The Government of Karnataka has submitted a proposal for an estimated cost of Rs.135.95 crore in March, 2002 for inclusion in the proposed National Coastal Protection Project (NCPP).

(f) No Sir.

(g) Does not arise.